

The Hartford Herald

M. H. & E. RAILROAD TIME TABLE AT HARTFORD, KY.

The following L. & N. Time Card is effective from Monday, Aug. 21st:

North Bound—
No. 112 due at Hartford 7:19 a. m.
No. 114 due at Hartford 3:40 p. m.

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No. 115 due at Hartford 8:45 a. m.
No. 113 due at Hartford 1:46 p. m.
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FLOYD ALLEN TAKES THE STAND IN OWN BEHALF

Says Sheriff Webb Fired First Shot—Himself Fired After Being Shot.

Wytheville, Va., May 11.—Evidence in the case of Floyd Allen, on trial here for the murder of Prosecutor William M. Foster in the Hillsville court house last March, was completed to-day. Allen himself went on the witness stand to-day and testified in his own behalf. He charged that Sheriff Webb fired the first shot, and that he was wounded before he attempted to draw his revolver. Allen stoutly denied that he shot at any one inside the court building except Deputy Sheriff Quisenberry. It was Quisenberry who fired the shot which brought him down, Allen declared. He fired only two other times, he said, and these were when he was in the street. He aimed at Clerk Dexter Goad, who had fired at him, he testified. Allen was emphatic in his denial that there was any conspiracy among the Allen clansmen to shoot up the court. He also denied that at any time previous to the tragedy had he threatened the court.

Instructions to the jury were argued before Judge Staples this afternoon after the court had adjourned.

The attorneys will begin arguments before the jury Monday morning, and it is expected the case will be placed in the jury's hands by Monday night.

SULPHUR SPRINGS.

May 11.—As it has been quite a while since I tried to write up the news of this place, it is quite a task as to news of importance. It is rather scarce.

But little corn is planted, but wheat and oats are looking well. Pastures fine.

J. B. Canan and family have moved back to their old home here from Beaver Dam. They moved away from here two years ago.

We are expecting a boom at the Sulphur Springs this coming summer, especially if Mr. Thompson, the proprietor of the springs property, will spend a few thousand dollars in the way of improvements. We are sure we have the water over any other place in Kentucky. All we lack is the right kind of improvements and the people will come.

A surprise birthday dinner was given Uncle Noble Bean Tuesday, the 7th. He was 82 years old.

Miss Mamie Potts, daughter of William Potts, is on the sick list.

The roads here are worse than ever seen at this season of the year. Dr. Duff, of Dundee, is in Chicago, attending school. His wife is still very sick.

A new telephone line is now leading from Dundee via Sulphur Springs and Sunnydale, connecting with the Hartford line at F. W. Pirle's.

Bean & Midkiff shipped to-day about 500 dozen eggs, being what they bought this week.

Prayer meeting at Sulphur Springs church every Saturday night.

Misses Mercedes and Myrtle Canan are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Mary Daniel, and other relatives near Olaton.

Cheer for Champ Clark for President and hit the right lick and send an instructed delegation to the Baltimore Convention that will not sell out.

FLOWERS STREWN ON SEA BY DISTRACTED WIDOW

New York, May 12.—To strew flowers on the sea in memory of her husband, who was lost in the Titanic disaster, Mrs. Henrietta C. Loring, of Liverpool, made a trip across the Atlantic Ocean on the Cunarder Carmania, which arrived to-day.

Mrs. Loring was ill during the entire journey and constantly in the care of a stewardess. She could not be seen to-day, but passengers on the Carmania told of a touching scene in midocean.

J. H. Loring was a wealthy Liverpool merchant, and was one of the hundreds of men who went

down with the Titanic whose bravery won the plaudits of the survivors.

Mrs. Loring took a great quantity of the choicest flowers aboard the Carmania at Liverpool. Last Friday she reached the meridian of the longitude of the disaster, hough far to the south of it, and Captain Dow ordered the ship stopped. Mrs. Loring, though ill, was taken in a steamer chair to the rail of the steamer and, while the other passengers stood about with bared heads, dropped the flowers onto the water.

SIMMONS.

May 13.—After a suspension of more than six weeks, work was resumed in the mines Monday. The miners gained a small increase in wages for the next two years.

Quite a wind, rain and hail storm passed through this section Saturday afternoon, doing damage to outbuildings and trees.

Miss Stella Miller, of McHenry, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. J. Carter, for the past week, left Saturday for Rockport, where she will visit relatives for a while before returning home.

The Rev. Hiram Brown preached a good sermon at Miners' Hall Sunday evening. A large crowd attended.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hill and children returned home Thursday after a long visit to friends and relatives at Manda, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Phipps have returned home from a visit to Mr. Phipps' parents in the mountains of Eastern Kentucky.

Miss Carrie Davis is on the sick list.

Sunday School at this place is progressing nicely under the supervision of Mr. Chas. Smith.

Mr. C. F. Frazer, mining engineer for the Broadway Coal Co., of this place, has moved his boarding place from J. L. Southard's to the Commercial Hotel, Beaver Dam.

ELMITECH.

May 13.—Business medium good and but little sickness in the town or community.

The railroad business is improving here in local traffic. From 25 to 75 carloads of coal leave here daily for Louisville.

Some improvements and more contemplated here. Mr. W. B. Mitchell has completed a large building for a restaurant and grocery store, which is a good improvement for the town. Mr. Samuel C. Roberts, boarding house keeper here, has repainted his buildings. Mr. E. R. Graves, who has been in Paragould, Ark., for some time, has returned to his home here and has improved his property by building an addition to his barn, some new fences, etc.

Mr. Eleazer Hedden has completed a good sidewalk in front of his residence on First street.

Mr. Joe Fallon, railroad agent here, has improved his lands northwest of his residence on the Cerro Gordo plateau.

Mr. H. Duvall, night watchman here, has moved into a part of the residence of Mrs. Mitchell.

Mr. A. R. Mitchell, who carries the mail from here to Fordsville, has a large bed of strawberries nearly ready for the market.

A fishing party composed of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Miles, Miss Alice Mitchell and others, left here last week for the Falls of Rough to fish in Rough river.

On the 10th inst. a birthday dinner was given Mrs. Virginia Mitchell, widow of the late Dr. B. F. Mitchell, in honor of her 75th birthday. For the last 57 years the station farm has been her home.

Elva, the oldest daughter of Eleazer Mitchell, living near here, is very low of lung trouble.

Owing to continued rain, all farm and garden planting is greatly belated here and in the community.

It is said a tobacco warehouse will soon be erected here by a prominent tobacco merchant, which will greatly aid farmers short of curing room at cutting time.

Mrs. J. M. Mallon, wife of the railroad agent here, has just returned from her old home at Hawesville, where she had been visiting relatives and friends. She also visited at Cloverport.

MAYSVILLE FORMS ITS FIRST HUMANE SOCIETY

Maysville, Ky., May 13.—The Woman's Club of this city, will hold an open session on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, May 15, at the court house. The meeting will be in the interest of the Department of Humane Education, and addresses along this line will be the principal feature. Oscar A. Trounstein, secretary of the Ohio Humane Society, will be present, and at the conclusion of his remarks a humane society will be organized, the first ever formed in Maysville.

After twenty years' service as State Veterinarian, Dr. F. T. Eisenman, of Louisville, has resigned.

NIGHT RIDER CASE IN FAVOR OF PLAINTIFF

J. F. Van Hooser, Formerly Of Christian County, To Get \$2,500 Damages.

Cincinnati, O., May 9.—Another chapter in the so-called "night rider" case was written to-day when the United States Circuit Court of Appeals handed down a decision in which the victory won by J. F. Van Hooser, an independent tobacco grower, who formerly had a plantation in Christian county, Ky., over nineteen members of this organization, was sustained.

Judge Warrington, who read the decision, refused to reverse the findings of the lower court by holding that Van Hooser is entitled to redress for the injuries sustained, by him in his efforts to remain an independent grower. It was ordered that \$2,500 be awarded to Van Hooser, and this amount will be levied against the nineteen defendants. Unless the Supreme Court grants permission for an appeal the case has reached the highest round in the ladder of justice, and there will be no further effort. It is said, to change the order. The case dates back several years.

The suit was filed in the Federal Court at Owensboro about two years ago and the "verdict" was returned by a jury. Owing to the fact that the defendants were well known in the counties from which they came and also because of the sensational story told by the plaintiff as to the treatment that he had received at the hands of the alleged "night riders," the case attracted a great amount of attention.

BABY BOY BORN ALIVE AFTER MOTHER'S DEATH

New York, May 13.—The world's first baby boy to be born after his mother's death is now in Fordham Hospital, full of vitality and apparently destined to a long life. By a Caesarian operation the child was delivered ten minutes after the mother had died of apoplexy. The boy weighed eight and a half pounds. The case is said by physicians to be most startling, as showing that life persists in the organs following death.

The boy's mother was Mrs. Rebecca Lipschultz, of 804 East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, the Bronx, who died early Saturday morning.

WILL BEGIN CARRYING THE MAIL BY AEROPLANE

Washington, May 11.—Postmaster-General Hitchcock to-day authorized the Postmaster at New York to dispatch mail to Washington on May 22 by aeroplane, on request of a Washington aeroplane company.

The Postmaster-General is interested in the carriage of mail by aeroplane and believes the progress being made in aviation encourages the hope that ultimately the regular transportation of mail by aeroplane may be practical.

Such a service, he suggests, if found feasible, might be established in many districts, especially in the West, where the natural conditions restrict other methods of rapid transportation.

In the experiment between New York and Washington an effort will be made to carry at least 100 pounds of mail without stop.

Under the order of the Postmaster-General the aviator must be sworn in as a mail carrier and the transportation must be without expense to the Government.

The machine will fly a pennant bearing the inscription "United States Mail."

PRE-NATAL INFLUENCE—GROWS A METAL TOOTH

Toledo, Ohio, May 13.—A clinic of dentists was amazed this afternoon when Dr. L. L. Zarbaugh introduced to them John Schnitker, six years old, in whose mouth a metal tooth had grown without the aid of dental surgery.

Dr. Zarbaugh declared that the tooth was a clear example of pre-natal influence. Before the boy was born he had filled one of Mrs. Schnitker's teeth with silver.

When John was 2½ years old he cut a molar which, Dr. Zarbaugh said, was filled with some sort of metal. He was not certain that it was silver, for it appeared to be softer. Moreover the filling has increased in size since the tooth became larger.

PREACHER CUTS THROAT ON ACCOUNT ILL HEALTH

Monticello, Ky., May 13.—The Rev. D. G. Stephenson, a highly respected Baptist minister, nephew of Capt. L. J. Stephenson, of this city, and T. V. Stevenson, of Alba-

ny, committed suicide here Saturday by cutting his throat with a pocket knife because of broken health. He went to a Western State some months ago. Meeting with financial loss and no improvement in health, he returned home two weeks ago. Saturday, making pretense of visiting a neighbor, he went into a woodland and in a few hours was found with four deep gashes across his throat and a knife with razor edge clasped tightly in his fingers. The head was almost severed from his body. He was fifty-six years old and is survived by his wife and seven children. The Coroner's jury returned a verdict of suicide.

Mines Running Again.

The operators and miners in Western Kentucky, District 23, have settled their differences and the mines have all reopened and are running.

SMALLHOUS.

May 13.—Mr. Sam Morton went to Hartford on business to-day.

Born to Mrs. Rube Brown, May 9th, a boy.

Mrs. Ben Ross has returned from a visit to her mother at Hefflin. She was accompanied home by her mother, who will spend a week.

Mrs. M. P. Maddox is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Hill, near South Carrollton.

Mrs. Louis Fulkerson and Mrs. Clinton Igleheart have returned from a visit to Mrs. Will Nichols, of South Carrollton, and Mrs. Elmer Mitchell, of Bevier.

Mrs. Lella Kittinger spent a few days last week in Owensboro, where she went to have her tonsils cut out. She is getting along nicely.

ADABURG.

May 10th.—Farmers are very busy trying to get their crops planted. The continued wet weather has put them much behind.

Mrs. Almon Duke, of —, spent Tuesday here, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Lena Patton.

Miss Gertrey Raymon is visiting relatives in Owensboro this week.

Mr. Jim Bales, Pleasant Ridge, passed here enroute to Ralph Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. C. L. Patton was in Whitesville Wednesday on business.

Mr. William Howard, Jr., and wife, of Ralph, and Miss Ina Patton, of this place, attended the birthday dinner yesterday of Mr. Fred Evans, near Westerfield.

Mr. Riley Greer's son, who has been sick so long, died on Friday, May 10, and was buried at Antioch burying grounds next day.

HORSEWHIPPED GIRL FOUND KISSING HUSBAND

Kansas City, Mo., May 11.—Mrs. Bessie Burrows, aubrette in the "Sweetest Girl in Paris" company last season, horsewhipped her husband's office girl here to-day when she found the blonde head leaning over the painless dentist's shoulder. "She was kissing him," Mrs. Burrows said afterward. "I had intended waiting until there was a roomful of patients, but I happened in at the opportune time."

Mrs. Burrows lashed the girl, Pearl Goodwin, across the face, then over the bare neck, then 25 times, "count 'em," says Mrs. Burrows, across the face.

"She was a blonde, but I left her a brunette," the wife said.

The woman said she had hired detectives and herself has watched the husband and office girl, trailing them to a rooming house. She says "I'm going to whip her every time I meet her."

FIFTEEN BEDS SCRAPED IN THE COUNTY OF LYON

Paducah, Ky., May 13.—There has been another outbreak of night riders in Lyon county, and reports from Eddyville Monday morning state that fifteen beds have been scraped in the past few days. Col. Ramey was one of the chief sufferers, four beds on his farm being ruined.

The beds of eleven other planters between the Cumberland and Tennessee rivers were scraped between Thursday and Saturday nights.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Guy S. Hazelrigg, Beaver Dam, to Pearl Chick, Beaver Dam. Homer Martin, Hartford, Route 6, to Rosa Taylor, Hartford, Route No. 6.

Marvin Hines, Beaver Dam, to Iva Lee Benson, Beaver Dam, Route 1.

During the final campaign of President Taft in his home State from May 13 to May 22, he is scheduled to make at least as many as sixty-three speeches and as many more as his managers and advisers can crowd in.

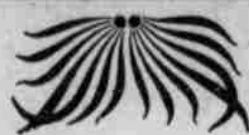
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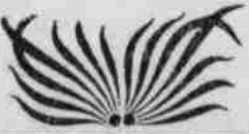
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